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FOLLOWING IS FULL TEXT OF LETTER DATED FEB 15, 1974, ADDRESSED TO ECON/COUNS AND SIGNED BY HIROMU FUKADA, HEAD FIRST NORTH AMERICA DIV, AMERICAN AFFAIRS BUREAU, FONOFF. LETTER WAS DELIVERED TO EMBASSY ON FEB 19. NOTE THAT CONTRARY TO OUR EARLIER UNDERSTANDING (REFTEL), LETTER INDICATES THAT JCAB WILL NOT REPEAT NOT APPROVE JAPAN-ORIGIN FLIGHTS DURING JANUARY-JUNE EXCEPT THOSE CONTRACTED PRIOR TO NOV 20, 1973.

BEGIN TEXT:

DEAR MR. CALINGAERT,

WITH REFERENCE TO MY LETTERS DATED DEC 28, 1973 AND JAN 23, 1974 CONCERNING CHARTER OPERATIONS INTO OR OUT OF JAPAN BY THE U.S. SUPPLEMENTAL CARRIERS IN 1974, I SHOULD LIKE TO INFORM YOU OF OUR LATEST POSITION AS FOLLOWS:

(1) IN VIEW OF THE RECENT IMPROVEMENT IN THE FUEL SITUATION, WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO AUTHORIZE U.S. SUPPLEMENTAL CARRIERS TO
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OPERATE UP TO 30 ROUND TRIP FLIGHTS IN THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1974. IN THE SAID PERIOD, HOWEVER, APPROVAL OF CHARTER

FLIGHTS ORIGINATING IN JAPAN SHALL BE LIMITED TO THOSE LISTED
IN THE ENCLOSURE OF YOUR LETTER DATED JAN 10, 1974.

(2) IN THE EVENT THAT ANY FREQUENCIES OUT OF THE 30 ARE NOT
ACTUALLY OPERATED IN THE FIRST HALF OF THE YEAR, SUCH FREQUENCIES
MAY BE CARRIED OVER TO THE LATTER HALF OF THE YEAR FOR OPERATIONS.

(3) IT SHOULD BE UNDERSTOOD THAT THE CHARTER QUOTA APPROVED
AS (1) ABOVE DOES NOT BY ITSELF CONSTITUTE AN ASSURANCE THAT
THE JET FUEL REQUIRED FOR SUCH CHARTER OPERATIONS WILL BE ACTUALLY
SUPPLIED.

(4) THE ANNUAL QUOTA FOR CHARTER FLIGHTS BY THE U.S. SUPPLEMENTAL
CARRIERS IN 1974 SHALL BE DETERMINED LATER IN THE LIGHT OF CURRENT
FUEL SITUATION. THE JAPANESE GOVT, HOWEVER, DOES NOT
CONTEMPLATE ANY INCREASE OVER THE 1972 ANNUAL QUOTA, I.E. 70
ROUND TRIP FLIGHTS.

(5) THE CRITERIA INCLUDING THE ANNUAL QUOTA ON CHARTERS GIVEN
IN (3), (4), AND (6) OF MY LETTER DATED DEC 27, 1973 REMAIN
UNCHANGED. END TEXT. SHOESMITH

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